## **Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A method of removing a biofilm, which comprises at least the following steps, carried out simultaneously or consecutively:
- a) a solution comprising an enzyme mixture containing at least one enzyme chosen from the group of proteases, at least one enzyme chosen from the group of esterases and an amylase is prepared;
  - b) a solution comprising a detergent with an alkaline pH is prepared; and
- c) <u>a solution comprising an acid capable of dissolving deposits of mineral salts is</u>
  prepared; and
- <u>d)</u> said solutions are applied, by washing or by circulation, to the surface to be treated.
  - 2. (Cancelled)
- 3. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the enzyme chosen from the group of proteases is chosen from the group formed by exopeptidases or endopeptidases, such as trypsin.
- 4. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the enzyme chosen from the group of esteraes is a carboxyl ester hydrolase, such as lipase, a phospholipase and/or a phosphonodiesterase, such as ribonuclease.
- 5. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the enzyme mixture furthermore comprises an enzyme chosen from the group formed by osidases or carbohydrases, such as glycosidase and galactosidase.
- 6. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the enzyme mixture is pancreatin.

- 7. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the detergent is an alkaline solution containing surfactants.
- 8. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the detergent is an alkaline solution containing surfactants and a quaternary ammonium.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the detergent solution furthermore contains a disinfectant-such as a sodium hypochlorite or potassium hypochlorite solution.
- 10. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 2 claim 1, wherein, in the acid for removing the deposits of mineral salts, the acid is chosen from the group formed selected from the group consisting of by citric acid, peractetic acid, glycolic acid and hydroxyacetic acid.
- 11. (Withdrawn-Currently Amended) A kit intended for removing a biofilm, which comprises at least one solution of an enzyme mixture containing at least one enzyme chosen from the group of proteases, at least one enzyme chosen from the group of esterases and an amylase, and which comprises at least one solution of a detergent with an alkaline pH, and at least one solution of an acid capable of dissolving deposits of mineral salts.
- 12. (Withdrawn-Currently Amended) The kit as claimed in claim 11, wherein the enzyme chosen from the group of proteases is chosen from the group formed by exopeptidases or endopeptidases, such as trypsin.
- 13. (Withdrawn-Currently Amended) The kit as claimed in claim 11, wherein the enzyme chosen from the group of esterases is a carboxyl ester hydrolase, such as lipase, a phospholipase and/or a phosphonodiesterase, such as ribonuclease.
- 14. (Withdrawn-Currently Amended) The kit as claimed in claim 11, wherein the enzyme mixture furthermore comprises an enzyme chosen from the group formed by osidases or carbohydrases, such as glycosidase and galactosidase.

- 15. (Withdrawn) The kit as claimed in claim 11, wherein the enzyme mixture is pancreatin.
- 16. (Withdrawn) The kit as claimed in claim 11, wherein the detergent is an alkaline solution containing surfactants.
- 17. (Withdrawn) The kit as claimed in claim 11, wherein the detergent is an alkaline solution containing surfactants and a quaternary ammonium.
- 18. (Withdrawn-Currently Amended) The kit as claimed in claim 11, which furthermore includes a solution of a disinfectant-such as a sodium hypochlorite or potassium hypochlorite solution.
- 19. (Withdrawn-Currently Amended) The kit as claimed in claim 11, which furthermore includes a solution of an acid capable of dissolving deposits of mineral salts-such as calcium carbonate.
- 20. (Withdrawn) The kit as claimed in claim 19, wherein the acid is chosen from the group formed by citric acid, peractetic acid, glycolic acid and hydroxyacetic acid.
- 21. (Withdrawn-Currently Amended) A composition intended for removing a biofilm, which comprises an enzyme mixture containing at least one enzyme chosen from the group of proteases, at least one enzyme chosen from the group of esterases and an amylase, and a detergent with an alkaline pH, and an acid capable of dissolving deposits of mineral salts.
- 22. (Withdrawn) The composition as claimed in claim 21, wherein the enzyme mixture is pancreatin.
- 23. (New) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the enzyme chosen from the group of proteases is trypsin.
- 24. (New) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the enzyme chosen from the group of esterases is lipase and/or ribonuclease.

- 25. (New) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the enzyme mixture furthermore comprises glycosidase.
- 26. (New) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the enzyme mixture furthermore comprises galactosidase.
- 27. (New) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the detergent solution furthermore contains a sodium hypochlorite solution.
- 28. (New) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the detergent solution furthermore contains potassium hypochlorite solution.